

# NOTICES OF PROPOSED DELEGATION AGREEMENT

The Administrative Procedure Act requires the publication of notices of proposed delegation agreements in the *Register*. A delegation agreement is an agreement between an agency and a political subdivision that authorizes the political subdivision to exercise functions, powers, or duties conferred on the delegating agency by a provision of law. Delegation agreements are not intergovernmental agreements pursuant to A.R.S. Title 11, Chapter 7, Article 3. For at least 30 days after publication of the Notice of Proposed Delegation Agreement in the *Register*, the agency shall provide persons the opportunity to submit in writing statements, arguments, data, and views on the proposed delegation agreement and shall provide an opportunity for a public hearing if there is sufficient interest. The delegating agency shall follow the procedures for delegation agreements specified in A.R.S. Title 41, Chapter 6, Article 8.

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[M14-174]

**1. Name of the agency proposing the delegation agreement:**

Department of Environmental Quality

**2. The name of the political subdivision to which functions, powers and duties of the agency are proposed to be delegated:**

City of Casa Grande

**3. The name, address, and telephone number of agency personnel to whom persons may direct questions or comments:**

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**4. A summary of the delegation agreement and the subjects and issues involved:**

Under A.R.S. § 49-107, the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality proposes to delegate to the City of Casa Grande, the Local Agency (LA), the water quality management program elements listed below, subject to certain conditions and limitations described in the delegation agreement. The proposed delegated program elements include:

- General functions and duties pertaining to the administration of Type 1 and Type 4 General Aquifer Protection Permits delegated to the LA pursuant to this table.
- Review and approval of the 4.01 General Aquifer Protection Permit for Sewage Collection Systems
- Compliance and enforcement responsibilities for the 4.01 General Aquifer Protection Permit for Sewage Collection Systems
- Public Drinking Water Facilities (only for stand-alone water line replacement and/or extension projects)
  - Approval to Construct (ATC) and Approval of Construction (AOC)
  - Application review, construction inspection, and certificate issuance or denial as appropriate
  - Compliance and enforcement

**5. Copies of the proposed delegation agreement may be obtained from the agency as follows:**

*Arizona Administrative Register / Secretary of State*  
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An electronic copy of the existing Agreement may be downloaded from the following web site address:

<http://azdeq.gov/function/permits/delegated.html>

Or contact: Sherri Zendri, Administrative Counsel  
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**6. The schedule of public hearings on the proposed delegation agreement:**

Where there is sufficient public interest, ADEQ will hold a public hearing to receive public comments, in accordance with A.R.S. § 41-1081. The time, place, and location of the hearings will be provided in the corresponding Notice of Public Hearing pursuant to A.A.C. R18-1-401 and R18-1-402.

ADEQ accepts written statements, arguments, data, and views on the proposed delegation agreement that are received within 30 days after the date of the publication of this notice in the *Register* by 5:00 p.m. or postmarked not later than that date.

After the conclusion of the public comment period and hearing, if any, the agency shall prepare a written summary responding to the comments received, whether oral or written. The agency shall consider the comments received from the public in determining whether to enter into the proposed delegation agreement. The agency shall give written notice to those persons who submitted comments of the agency's decision on whether to enter into the proposed delegation agreement.